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PATENT

Case No.: 10541/562 V200-0618

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)

Erich James Vorenkamp et al.)

Serial No.: 09/922,059)

Filed: August 3, 2001)

For: HIGH VOLUME PRODUCTION)
OF LOW PERMEATION PLASTIC FUEL)
TANKS USING PARALLEL OFFSET)
TWIN SHEET PRESSURE FORMING)

Group Art Unit: Unknown

Examiner: Not Assigned

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

The Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of candor and good faith required of each individual associated with the filing and prosecution of a U.S. patent application, Applicants hereby disclose the references listed below. A copy of each of the listed references is enclosed. Applicants request that these documents be considered and made of record in this application.

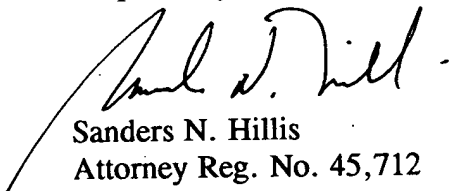
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| EXAMINER'S INITIAL | U.S. PATENT APPLICATION NUMBER | TITLE | INVENTOR | FILING DATE |
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| | 09/921,541 | LOW HYDROCARBON EMISION FUEL TANK WITH INTERNAL COMPONENTS | Erich James Vorenkamp, et al | 08/03/2001 |
| | 09/921,607 | ADAPTER FOR WELDING OBJECTS TO PLASTIC | Erich James Vorenkamp, et al. | 08/03/2001 |

Please note that the above-listed references were filed on the same day as the above-referenced patent application and should not be considered as prior art. In addition, the above-listed references were incorporated by reference in their entirety in the above-referenced patent application.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing of the first Office Action on the merits and no certification under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e) or fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p) is required.

Respectfully submitted,



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